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## NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF NONPROVISIONAL APPLICATION

#### FILED UNDER 37 CFR 1.53(b)

#### Filing Date Granted

An application number and filing date have been accorded to this application. The item(s) indicated below, however, are missing. Applicant is given **TWO MONTHS** from the date of this Notice within which to file all required items and pay any fees required below to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

- The oath or declaration is unsigned.
- To avoid abandonment, a late filing fee or oath or declaration surcharge as set forth in 37 CFR 1.16(I) of \$65 for a small entity in compliance with 37 CFR 1.27, must be submitted with the missing items identified in this letter.
- The balance due by applicant is \$ 65.

The application is informal since it does not comply with the regulations for the reason(s) indicated below.

The required item(s) identified below must be timely submitted to avoid abandonment:

- Substitute drawings in compliance with 37 CFR 1.84 because:
  - Drawings must be in dark ink (not pencil), except where color drawings or photographs are permitted.

A copy of this notice MUST be returned with the reply.

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### IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

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Larry C. Gundlach et al.

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**Apparatus And Method For Recovering Injection Solution** 

# RESPONSE TO NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS

Attention: Box Missing Parts
Assistant Commissioner for Patents

Washington, D.C. 20231

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I hereby certify that this correspondence (along with any referred to as being attached or enclosed) is, on the date shown below, being deposited with the U.S. Postal Service with sufficient postage as first class mail in an envelope addressed to: Assistant Commissioner for Patents, Washington, D.C. 20231, on December 6, 2001,

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Sir or Madam:

In response to the Notice to File Missing Parts of Application -- Filing Date Granted (Form PTO-1533) mailed 09/26/01 (a copy of which is enclosed), applicants submit the following documents:

- ► Executed Combined Declaration and Power of Attorney for Patent Application
- Petition for extension of time for filing within the first month

A check in the amount of \$120.00 is enclosed herewith to cover:

\$65.00 surcharge for filing missing parts of an application

\$55.00 for filing a one month extension of time

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge payment of any fees associated with this communication or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 08-1290. An originally executed duplicate of this transmittal is enclosed for this purpose.

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# TRANSMITTAL OF FORMAL DRAWINGS

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Sir or Madam:

In response to the NOTICE OF INFORMAL DRAWINGS or ALLOWABILITY, attached please find:

6 sheets of formal drawing(s) for this application.

Each sheet of drawing indicates the identifying indicia suggested in 37 CFR

§ 1.84(c) on the reverse side of the drawing.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fee or credit overpayment to our Deposit Account No. 08-1290. An originally executed duplicate of this transmittal is enclosed for this purpose.

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